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APPLICATION OF **GROUP NO.: 1621** JÜRGEN KÖCHER **EXAMINER: B. J. DAVIS SERIAL NUMBER: 10/643,855** FILED: AUGUST 19, 2003 TITLE: OPTICALLY ACTIVE DIAMINES AND THEIR USE IN CATALYTIC PROCESSES.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sirs:

Applicants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the Commissioner for Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for filing their response so that the Response and Amendment filed simultaneously with this Petition will be considered timely filed.

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